

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 9005  
Takashi KOMAI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1593A  
Serial No. 10/697,878 : Group Art Unit 1623  
Filed October 31, 2003 : Examiner Devesh Khare  
NOVEL ANTICOAGULANT : Mail Stop Amendment

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE AN ATTORNEY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PETITION TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Sir:

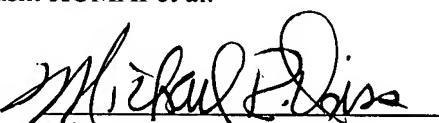
Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of February 7, 2007.

- The fee of \$1,020.00 is  
 submitted herewith.  
 to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.  
 Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
 is enclosed.  
 has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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